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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, AFIN, VS

SUBJECT: ICCS: ADDITIONAL GVN CONTRIBUTION

REF: STATE 001893

1. WE WILL DO WHAT WE CAN TO URGE THE ICCS TO STRETCH THE  
\$1.578 MILLION TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT POSSIBLE.

2. HOWEVER, THERE SHOULD NOT BE THE SLIGHTEST ILLUSION THAT  
WE COULD REALISTICALLY EXPECT THE AID MENTIONED IN PARA 3,  
REFTEL, FROM THE GVN. AT A TIME WHEN MANY YOUNG VIETNAMESE  
ARE DYING EVERY DAY BECAUSE THERE ISN'T ENOUGH MUNITIONS TO  
BLUNT THE SCALE OF THE PRESENT MILITARY OFFENSIVE, THE AMBASSADOR  
WOULD PREFER TO RECOMMEND THAT THE GVN USE THEIR OWN RESOURCES  
TO BUY BULLETS RATHER THAN MAKE A FURTHER CONTRIBUTION TO THE  
ICCS. SINCE THE 27.7 MILLION IN THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE ACT HAS  
ALREADY RESULTED IN A DEDUCTION OF THAT AMOUNT FROM AID THAT  
WOULD OTHERWISE HAVE COME TO VIET-NAM, IN EFFECT WE WOULD BE  
ASKING THEM TO PAY DOUBLE.

2. SINCE THE AMBASSADOR WILL NOT AUTHORIZE ANY APPROACH TO  
THE GVN UNTIL THE PASSAGE OF THE DESPERATELY NEEDED MILITARY  
AID SUPPLEMENTAL, PERHAPS DEPARTMENT WOULD APPROACH POLES AND  
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HUNGARIANS TO DEDUCT FROM THEIR AID TO HANOI AND THE "PRG"

AN AMOUNT FOR THE ICCS.

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